
GLENFINE CONSOLS CO

Location

GLENFINE ROAD WERNETH, GOLDEN PLAINS SHIRE

Municipality

GOLDEN PLAINS SHIRE

Level of significance

Heritage Inventory Site

Heritage Inventory (HI) Number

H7622-0178

Heritage Listing

Victorian Heritage Inventory

Hermes Number 11942

Property Number

History

Contextual History:History of Place:

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1899: presently sinking the main shaft; anticipating striking the quartz lodes found in the Glenfine South.

26.01.1900: preparing to erect a battery and a large number of bricks are being manufactured at the mine.

27.04.1900: intend erecting a rock boring plant to improve the progress with driving.

08.06.1900: very encouraging for quartz mining; a possibility that this is the extension of the Glenfine South Co . lode.

20.07.1900: steam puddling machines almost complete.

31.08.1900: puddling in full swing.

02.11.1900: interest is being shown in the gold bearing quartz leaders which indicate a quartz reef on a direct line

south from the Glenfine South; also working the alluvial.

04.01.1901: yield of 324 ozs for the year.

10.02.1901: mining both quartz and alluvial deposits.

25.05.1901: directors are considering the advisability of sinking another shaft to develop the quartz lode; a 5 head battery is to be erected to test the reefs.

11.01.1902: commenced installing the steam plant at the No. 2 shaft.

02.08.1902: small battery started to crush last Friday.

08.1901 to 12.1903: recorded production of 154 ozs from 113 tons (or 4.79 kg from 113 tonnes).

01.1901 to 03.1903: recorded production of 2760 ozs 14 dwt (or 85.869 kg).14

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